## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/587,071 Group Art Unit: 4181

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Title: ACTIVATED CARBON WITH IMPROVED MECHANICAL RESISTANCE, AND

THE USES THEREOF, ESPECIALLY AS A CATALYST CARRIER

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated October 29, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.